ABSTRACT

Set of equipment (1) for a motor vehicle comprises:

- an inflatable structure (2),
- a support (4) for the inflatable structure,
- elements for (6) inflating the structure in a direction of inflation (D) in order to deploy it,
- a plate (8) for spreading the load when an occupant of the vehicle impacts on the deployed inflatable structure,
- elements for guiding the structure as it deploys so that, in the deployed configuration, the structure extends along a median directrix line (L) distinct from its direction of inflation (D). The guide elements comprise the side wall (12) of the structure which, in the deployed configuration, is substantially taut.